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TO AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE

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SUBJECT: PW/MIA'S - ROD NORBERG

1. DEPT. HAS RECEIVED LETTER FROM REP. BILL FRENZEL, (R. - MINN.) SUPPORTING EFFORTS OF AMCIT ROD NORBERG TO LOOK FOR PW/MIA INFORMATION IN INDOCHINA. IN REPLY DEPT. SAID WE WERE AWARE OF NORBERG'S INTEREST IN THIS SUBJECT AND WOULD INFORM EMBASSY OF CONGRESSMAN'S INTEREST.

2. NORBERG HAS NOT CONTACTED DEPT. IN SEVERAL MONTHS. FROM SOME MIA FAMILIES WE UNDERSTAND HE PLANS NEW TRIP TO VIENTIANE IN COMING DAYS (HE MAY HAVE ARRIVED ALREADY). HE REPORTEDLY HAS SEVERAL THOUSAND DOLLARS IN ADVANCES FROM SMALL NUMBER OF MIA RELATIVES, WITH ALLEGED PROMISES OF MORE, TO PAY FOR BLOOD SAMPLES AND OTHER "EVIDENCE" OF AMERICAN PW/MIA'S, AND PLANS SEVERAL WEEK OR MORE STAY IN VIENTIANE. INGERSOLL

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